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MOTHERS' CONGRESS TO MEET AT DEL RIO

Texas Congress of Mothers and
Parents-Teachers' Associa-
tion, April 7 and 8, 1915

AN INTERESTING PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 7TH,
FIVE O'CLOCK.

Meeting of Executive Committee at
High School Auditorium.
Registration of Delegates at the
High School Auditorium.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 7TH,
EIGHT-THIRTY.

Invocation.
Address of welcome.
Response, Mrs. F. W. Kraus, Boerne.
Address, "The Home, the School
and the Community," Miss Amanda
Sullivan, State University.
Music.
Address, "How, Why and What,"
Mrs. F. W. McAllister, President State
Congress of Mothers and Parent-
Teacher Associations.
Adjourn 10:15 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 8TH, NINE
O'CLOCK.

Call to order.
Invocation.
Music.
Standing Rules and Regulations.
Read by Recording Secretary.
Announcement of Special Commit-
tees.
Report of Committee on Credentials.
Reports of Officers:
President, Mrs. W. B. Toone, Flores-
ville.
Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Sam
Fore, Jr., Floresville.
Recording Secretary, Mrs. William
Hightower, San Antonio.
Treasurer, Mrs. G. W. Monkhouse,
Hondo.
Department Chairmen.
Round Table Talks-Methods for
Raising Money. Leader, Mrs. Robert
Tewes, Karnes City.
Reports of Clubs.
Discussion of Reports.
Business.
Adjourn 12 o'clock.
Luncheon.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 8TH, ONE
O'CLOCK.

Call to order.
Reading of Minutes.
Reports of Clubs.
Discussion.
Address, "Home and School Gar-
dens," Mr. W. S. Taylor, University
of Texas.
Business.
Adjourn 5 o'clock.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 8TH, EIGHT-
THIRTY.

Call to order.
Music.
Address, "Standardizing the Home,"
Miss A. E. Richardson, University of
Texas.
Report of Committee on Resolutions.
Invitations for next convention.
Informal reception.

Tarpley Topics.

We will begin with the stereotyped
phrase, "we are having fine farming
weather now, and the farmers are
making good use of it, too."
Our village is growing by leaps and
bounds. Messrs. G. L. Dickson &
Son have put in a new and up-to-date
stock of general merchandise in the
old drug store stand. We predict for
them all kinds of success. We learn
that the junior member of the firm is
about to put in his appearance and
will make Tarpley his future home.
We are glad to welcome the young man
to our little city.

Miss Minnie Ferguson left today for
San Antonio and other points. Her
sister accompanied her as far as San
Antonio, returning from there.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ferguson paid
Tarpley a week's visit last week.
Come again.

We learn that G. L. Dickson is
changing his boarding place. He will
live at the hotel now, where he and his
son, A. K. Dickson, are to board.

Mr. R. I. Risinger has moved his
family from Bandera to this city.
Mr. Farra made a flying business
trip to the San Antonio markets this
week.

Mr. George Jones is setting (his in-
cubator) now. Reckon he is some lone-
some now.

Miss Myrtle Dean has put her mil-
linery on display at Dickson & Son's
store.

Miss Robbie Padgett has been smil-

ing at her friends from behind the
counter of Dickson & Son. We hear a
small, still voice whisper that she is to
make a visit to the Utopia people soon.
Don't you know there will much rejoic-
ing by a certain young man there?

Ask Miss Myrtle what is the name
of the record of Dickson's phonograph
that took her fancy to such an extent
that she forgot her hat when she went
home that evening?

It would seem that flowers on his
coat is all the rage now.

We learn on good authority that
Jesse Tyra has gone to trading horses
again. Look out, boys. When Jess
goes at that it sounds like "wedding
bells" to your uncle. Who is she, Jess?

George Jones wants to say to the
people that he is the market for nice,
fat possums and tom cats.

We hear that Bob Evans took up
quite recently with two dagoes. Now,
Bob, you know you can't talk it; why
try to fool those poor fellows?

We hear that Miss Verna Hicks
thinks this climate too warm and is
likely to try the northern country soon.
We thought that would be the way of
it when he left here. There are some
more of the girls that get that idea in
their heads too, sometimes.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks paid Bandera
a call today, coming back the same
day.

We are glad to note that R. N. Pad-
gett will be in the market for mohair
and wool again this fall. The ranch-
men always get value received when
he buys. A man of his enterprise is of
great value to a community.

The German neighborhood have their
phones in now, and that pleases some
of the young ladies mighty well.

We noticed Lee Price on the streets
of Tarpley the other day. He tells us
that the new creamery at Bandera is a
splendid success and the people of his
neighborhood are greatly benefitted by
it. We think the people here would do
well to get separators and sell their
butter-fat. It would be a considera-
ble help these hard times.

A good many of the boys are out
trying to get all the turkeys before
the season closes. Think some of them
have about got their complement al-
ready. All they need is an auto so
that they can outrun the game wardens
rather than dodge them.

Mr. Levil, from Kerrville, was in the
city the other day, but we don't think he
made a sale of an auto. Tarpley people
will have to hang on to the old "hay-
burners" yet awhile. George Dickson
says he is going to have one this fall.
Perhaps he is joking tho.

When we see this in print we will
know then that we can write again to
this paper. So long.

DOCTOR ROBERT,
Tarpley, Texas, March 29.

Sturm Hill News.

Mrs. Thad Gilliam of D'Hanis and
Mrs. Richard Schwarz of Hondo were
the guests of Mrs. Fritz Balzen last
Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mumme and
children of Peach Tree were Hondo
visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Saathoff and
children and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Balzen
spent the day Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. A. L. Brucks at Verdina.

Mrs. C. L. Meyer and children visit-
ed Thad Gilliam's family at D'Hanis

last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Balzen paid a
visit to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Britsch at
Vandeberg Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Saathoff of Green Hill
visited relatives here one day last
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schwarz and
children of Hondo visited friends at
Peach Tree and Verdina a few days
last week.

Mrs. C. H. Fuos and daughter, Miss
Ella, were Hondo visitors last Satur-
day.

Miss Melinda Saathoff is spending
the week with her brother, H. H.
Saathoff and family.

Oscar Moehring of lower Hondo
visited his best friend here Sunday.

A. G. Eckhart and family visited
Fritz Bohlen's family Sunday.

Robert Reitzer made a business trip
to Hondo Thursday.

A party was tendered Miss Frieda
Balzen last Saturday night. A big
crowd was present and all had a good
time.

Hugo Reitzer visited homefolks near
Mico last week.

Mesdames C. A. Oefinger, Ben de
Joorno, and C. H. Fuos spent Tuesday
afternoon with Mrs. Fritz Fuos.

Mrs. H. H. Saathoff and children of
Verdina spent Wednesday and Thurs-
day with Otto Mumme's family at
Peach Tree.

March 25, 1915.

New Fountain Notes.

Misses Lillie and Maude Allen, Har-
riet Stracener and Tom and Bill Strace-
ner of Hondo visited Miss Hulda
Hartmann Sunday.

John Herzing Jr. of Brackettville is
here visiting his uncles and cousins,
the families of Henry Hartmann and
Chas. Senne.

Mr. Fred Bickenbach returned to
San Antonio Saturday after a pleasant
visit to the family of Fritz Helmke.

Willie Mumme and family of San
Antonio came out Sunday to spend the
day with Mr. Mumme's homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Metzger left one
day last week for Kerrville to visit
Mrs. Metzger's homefolks.

John Herzing is spending a few days
this week with his kin-folks at the up-
per Hondo, Geo. Leinweber and fam-
ily.

Mrs. Hy. Hartmann and Mrs. Anna
Saathoff visited relatives and friends
at Bader Settlement one day last
week.

Mrs. Frank Moebius and son, Fritz,
of Tehuacana visited relatives in this
vicinity Saturday and Sunday.

Willie Schmidt and sister, Miss
Ernestina, of Quili visited D. J. Lin-
deburg and family Sunday.

Several from here attended a sur-
prise party in the Leinweber Settle-
ment Saturday night, where Mr. Wil-
lie Leinweber was given a surprise.

Mr. Minke Wiemers of Thousand
Acre was also tendered a pleasant sur-
prise party the same night. Big
crowds are reported to have been at
both places.

Frank Muennink was seen the other
Sunday spinning a bran new buggy.
Success to you, Frank.

Messrs. J. E. and Frank Muennink
have opened a general merchandise
store at this place and are selling at
reasonable prices.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hartmann and
daughter visited in Bandera the first

of this week.

Willie Bader was out from San An-
tonio, carpentering, but was called
back on account of the serious illness
of his daughter.

March winds and this winter weath-
er cause crops of all kinds to be late
this year. Cotton planting had just
begun in this section, but the cold and
unfavorable weather today will, no
doubt, check planting for a few days.
New Fountain, March 31, 1915.

Mrs. Ransome Dead.

Ransome-Bastrop, Tex., March
30.—The body of Mrs. W. B. Ransome
of Bastrop, whose death occurred at
Galveston Sunday night, was brought
to Bastrop and interred at Fairview on
Monday afternoon. She is survived
by her husband and three children,
Rufus Ransome and Miss Sue and W.
B. Ransome Jr. of Bastrop.—San An-
tonio Express.

The lady mentioned above was the
mother of Prof. R. G. Ransome, a
member of the Hondo High School
faculty. He left Sunday morning for
Bastrop to be present at the funeral.
The faculty of the Hondo school, and
the tenth and eleventh (taught by Prof.
Ransome) sent beautiful wreaths to be
placed on the grave. The sympathy
of a large circle of friends go out to
Prof. Ransome in his great bereave-
ment.

He will resume his work in the
school room Monday morning.

Return Engagement AUDITORIUM

2—NIGHTS—2

April 10th and 12th

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Monday night April 12th, the play will
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FLETCHER DAVIS,
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Sworn to and subscribed before me
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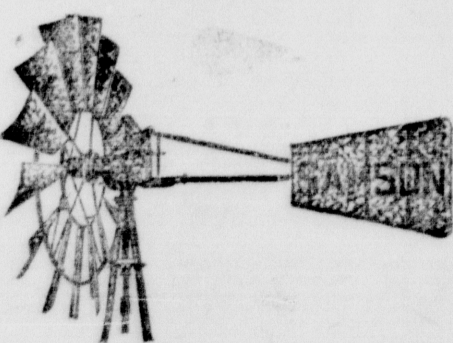
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A new German stratagem is to have dog spies betray the position of French troops. About midnight after French troops occupied a village in Flanders stray dogs set up an unearthly howl, which was immediately followed by a rain of German shells.

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When you have a cold you want the best medicine obtainable so as to get rid of it with the least possible delay. There are many who consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy unsurpassed. Mrs. J. Boroff, Elida, Ohio, says, "Ever since my daughter, Ruth, was cured of a severe cold and cough by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy two years ago, I have felt kindly disposed toward the manufacturers of that preparation. I know of nothing so quick to relieve a cough or cure a cold." For sale by All Dealers.

If you make a practice of always agreeing to agree with everybody's opinions you will make a lot of so-called friends, but you will have little respect from anybody.—Albany Journal.

Rheumatic Pains Relieved.

Why suffer from rheumatism when relief may be had at so small a cost? Mrs. Elmer Hatch, Peru, Ind., writes, "I have been subject to attacks of rheumatism for years. Chamberlain's Liniment always relieves me immediately, and I take pleasure in recommending it to others." 25 and 50 cent bottles. For sale by All Dealers.

In a suffragette hospital at Boulogne the men received such excellent care, if they were not suffragettes when they entered they are when they leave.—New York Evening World.

Stomach Trouble Cured.

Mrs. H. G. Cleveland, Arnold Pa., writes, "For some time I suffered from stomach trouble. I would have sour stomach and feel bloated after eating. Nothing benefited me until I got Chamberlain's Tablets. After taking two bottles of them I was cured." For sale by All Dealers.

The prize money for British officers and crews will be at the rate of \$25 for each person on board the enemy vessel captured or destroyed.

A Cure for Sour Stomach.

Mrs. Wm. M. Thompson, of Battle Creek, Mich., writes: "I have been troubled with indigestion, sour stomach and bad breath. After taking two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets I am well. These tablets are splendid—none better." For sale by All Dealers.

The public would think more of prophets if they would prophesy things people would like to have come true.—Toledo Blade.

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SYNOPSIS

Glendon, innocent of the world's ways, goes to San Francisco and is matched with "Roughhouse Kelly."

He whips Kelly and other boxers so easily that he is called "One Punch Glendon." He meets the Flying Dutchman.

Glendon wins again. He hears the top in pugilism. His manager, Stubener, engages in crooked ring practices, unknown to Glendon.

Through Maud Bangster, a reporter, Glendon first learns of these crooked practices and first suspects Stubener.

Glendon tells her he will stop rat powers in the eighteenth instead of the sixteenth round of a forthcoming fight, sixteen being the secret information of the betting syndicate.

Maud attends the battle. Despite Glendon's promise Powers is apparently knocked out in the sixteenth round. Glendon visits Maud.

She believes his statement that Powers faked the knockout. They elope and are married. Glendon is to return to the ring for one more fight, against Tom Cannam.

Glendon in a speech exposes the crookedness of the prize ring and in an impromptu encounter knocks out Champion Hanford.

He wants his Big Man for himself, and to be himself he must be himself. If you want this I want it for you and for myself too. Suppose I said I wanted to go on the stage or to the south seas or the north pole?

He answered slowly, almost solemnly:

"Then I'd say go ahead. Because you are you and must be yourself and do whatever you want. I love you because you are you."

"And were both a silly pair of lovers," she said when his embrace had relaxed.

"Isn't it great?" he cried.

He stood up, measured the sun with his eye and extended his hand out over the big woods that covered the sacred, purple ranges.

"We've got to sleep out there somewhere. It's thirty miles to the nearest camp."

Who of all the sports present will ever forget the memorable night at the Golden Gate arena when young Glendon put Tom Cannam to sleep and an even greater one than Tom Cannam, kept the great audience on the ragged edge of riot for an hour, caused the subsequent graft investigation of the supervisors and the indictments of the contractors and the building commissioners and pretty generally disrupted the whole fight game?

It was a complete surprise. Not even Stubener had the slightest apprehension of what was coming. It was true that his man had been insubordinate after the Nat Powers affair and had run off and got married. But all that was over.

Young Pat had done the expected—swallowed the inevitable crookedness of the ring and come back into it again.

The Golden Gate arena was new. This was its first fight, and it was the biggest building of the kind San Francisco had ever erected. It seated 25,000, and every seat was occupied.

Sports had traveled from all over the world to be present, and they had paid \$50 for their ringside seats. The cheapest seat in the house had sold for \$5.

The old familiar roar of applause went up when Billy Morgan, the veteran announcer, climbed through the ropes and bared his gray head.

As he opened his mouth to speak, a heavy crash came from a rear section where several tiers of low seats had collapsed. The crowd broke into loud laughter and shouted jocular regrets and advice to the victims, none of whom had been hurt.

The crash of the seats and the hilarious uproar caused the captain of police in charge to look at one of his lieutenants and lift his brows in token that they would have their hands full and a lively night.

One by one, welcomed by uproarious applause, seven doughty old ring heroes climbed through the ropes to be introduced. They were all ex-heavyweight champions of the world.

Billy Morgan accompanied each presentation to the audience with an appropriate phrase. One was hailed as "Honest John" and "Old Reliable"; another was "the squarest two-fisted fighter the ring ever saw."

And of others: "The hero of a hundred battles and never threw one and never laid down"; "the gamest of the old guard"; "the only one who ever came back"; "the greatest warrior of them all"; and "the hardest nut in the ring to crack."

All this took time. A speech was insisted on from each of them, and they mumbled and muffled in reply with proud blushes and awkward shambles.

The longest speech was from "Old Reliable" and lasted nearly a minute. Then they had to be photographed. The ring filled up with celebrities, with

champion wrestlers, famous conditioners and veteran timekeepers and referees.

Lightweights and middleweights swarmed. Everybody seemed to be challenging everybody.

Nat Powers was there demanding a return match from young Glendon, and so were all the other shining lights when Glendon had snuffed out.

Also they all challenged Jim Hanford, who, in turn had to make his statement, which was to the effect that he would accept the next fight to the winner of the one that was about to take place. The audience immediately proceeded to name the winner, half of it wildly crying "Glendon" and the other half "Powers."

In the midst of the pandemonium another tier of seats went down, and half a dozen rows were on between cheated ticket holders and the stewards who had been reaping a fat harvest.

The captain dispatched a message to headquarters for additional police details.

The crowd was feeling good. When Cannam and Glendon made their ring entrances the arena resembled a national political convention. Each was cheered for a solid five minutes.

The ring was now cleared. Glendon sat in his corner surrounded by his seconds. As usual Stubener was at his back.

Cannam was introduced first, and after he had scented and ducked his head he was compelled to respond to the cries for a speech. He stammered and halted, but managed to grind out several ideas.

"I'm proud to be here tonight," he said, and found space to capture another thought while the applause was thundering. "I've fought square. I've fought square all my life. Nobody can deny that. And I'm going to do my best tonight."

There were loud cries of "That's right, Tom!" "We know that!" "Good boy, Tom!" "You're the boy to fetch the bacon home!"

CHAPTER XI.

THEN came Glendon's turn. From him likewise a speech was demanded, though for principals to give speeches was an unprecedented thing in the prize ring. Billy Morgan held up his hand for silence, and in a clear, powerful voice Glendon began.

"Everybody has told you they were proud to be here tonight," he said. "I am not."

The audience was startled, and he paused long enough to let it sink home.

"I am not proud of my company. You wanted a speech. I'll give you a real one. This is my last fight. After tonight I leave the ring for good. Why? I have already told you. I don't like my company. The prize ring is so crooked that no man engaged in it can hide behind a corkscrew. It is rotten to the core, from the little professional clubs right up to this affair tonight."

The low rumble of astonishment that had been rising at this point burst into a roar. There were loud boos and hisses, and many began crying: "Go on with the fight!" "We want the fight!" "Why don't you fight?"

Glendon, waiting, noted that the principal disturbers near the ring were promoters and managers and fighters. In vain did he strive to make himself heard.

The audience was divided, half crying out, "Fight!" and the other half "Speech, speech!"

Ten minutes of hopeless madness prevailed. Stubener, the referee, the

owner of the arena, and the promoter of the fight, pleaded with Glendon to go on with the fight.

When he refused the referee declared that he would award the fight in forfeit to Cannam if Glendon did not fight.

"You can't do it," the latter retorted. "I'll sue you in all the courts if you try that on, and I'll not promise you that you'll survive this crowd if you cheat it out of the fight. Besides, I'm going to fight. But before I do I'm going to finish my speech."

"But it's against the rules," protested the referee.

"It's nothing of the sort. There's not a word in the rules against ring-side speeches. Every big fighter here tonight has made a speech."

"Only a few words," shouted the promoter in Glendon's ear. "But you're giving a lecture."

"There's nothing in the rules against lectures," Glendon answered. "And now you fellows get out of the ring or I'll throw you out."

The promoter, apoplectic and struggling, was dropped over the ropes by his own cohort.

He was a large man, but so easily had Glendon done it with one hand that the audience went wild with delight.

The cries for a speech increased in volume. Stubener and the owner beat a wise retreat. Glendon held up his hands to be heard, whereupon those that shouted for the fight redoubled their efforts.

Two or three tiers of seats crashed down, and numbers who had thus lost their places added to the turmoil by making a concerted rush to squeeze in on the still intact seats, while those behind, blocked from sight of the ring, yelled and raved for them to sit down.

Glendon walked to the ropes and spoke to the police captain. He was compelled to bend over and shout in his ear.

"If I don't give this speech," he said, "this crowd will wreck the place. If they break loose you can never hold them. You know that. Now, you've got to help. You keep the ring clear and I'll silence the crowd."

He went back to the center of the ring and again held up his hands.

"You want that speech?" he shouted in a tremendous voice.

Hundreds near the ring heard him and cried "Yes!"

"Then let every man who wants to hear shut up the noisemaker next to him!"

The advice was taken, so that when he repeated it his voice penetrated farther. Again and again he shouted it, and slowly, zone by zone, the silence pressed outward from the ring, accompanied by a muffled undertone of snarls and thuds and scuffles as the obstreperous were subdued by their neighbors.

Almost had all confusion been smothered when a tier of seats near the ring went down. This was greeted with fresh roars of laughter, which of it self died away, so that a lone voice far back was heard distinctly as it piped:

"Go on, Glendon! We're with you!"

Glendon had the Celtic intuitive knowledge of the psychology of the crowd. He knew that what had been a vast disorderly mob five minutes before was now tightly in hand, and for added effect he deliberately delayed.

Yet the delay was just long enough and not a second too long. For thirty seconds the silence was complete, and the effect produced was one of awe.

Then just as the faint hints of restlessness came to his ears he began to speak:

"When I finish this speech," he said, "I am going to fight. I promise you it will be a real fight, one of the few real fights you have ever seen. I am going to get my man in the shortest possible time."

"Billy Morgan, in making his final announcement, will tell you that it is to be a forty-five round contest. Let me tell you that it will be nearer forty-five seconds."

"When I was interrupted I was telling you that the ring was rotten. It is—from top to bottom. It is run on business principles, and you all know what business principles are. Enough said."

"You are the suckers, every last one of you that is not making anything out of it. Why are the seats falling down tonight? Graft. Like the fight game, they were built on business principles."

He now held the audience stronger than ever and knew it.

"There are three men squeezed on two seats. I can see that everywhere. What does it mean? Graft. The stewards don't get any wages. They are supposed to graft. Business principles again. You pay. Of course you pay. How are the fight permits obtained? Graft."

"And now let me ask you: If the men who build the seats graft, if the stewards graft, if the authorities graft, why shouldn't those higher up in the fight game graft? They do. And you pay."

"And let me tell you it is not the fault of the fighters. They don't run the game. The promoters and managers run it; they're the business men. The fighters are only fighters. They begin honestly enough, but the managers and promoters make them give in or kick them out. There have been straight fighters. And there are now a few, but they don't earn much as a rule."

"I guess there have been straight managers. Mine is about the best of the boiling. But just ask him how much he's got salted down in real estate and apartment houses."

Here the uproar began to drown his voice.

"Let every man who wants to hear shut up the man alongside of him!" Glendon instructed.

Again, like the murmur of a surf, there was a rustling of snarls and thuds, and scuffles, and the house quieted down.

"Why does every fighter work overtime insisting that he's always fought square? Why are they called Honest Johns and Honest Bills and Honest Blacksmiths and all the rest? Doesn't it ever strike you that they seem to be afraid of something?"

"When a man comes to you shouting he is honest you get suspicious. But when a prizefighter passes the same dope out to you you swallow it down."

"May the best man win! How often have you heard Billy Morgan say that? Let me tell you that the best man doesn't win so often, and when he

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Miss Corine Ney came in Thursday from San Antonio to spend Easter with relatives.

The Epworth League will sell Pies and Easter eggs at Martin Drug Store Saturday, April 3rd.

Mrs. Ambrose Zimmerman and children left Wednesday for a visit with relatives at Castroviejo.

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Our cooking stoves are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. Holloway Bros.

Up to Thursday night there had been 8,276 bales of cotton shipped from this station.

A Mexican charged with lunacy was tried and acquitted by the county court this week.

Bring the Hondo Commission Co. all of your chickens and turkeys for best cash prices.

Cocoanuts, English walnuts, cranberries and Fruit Cake ingredients at F. A. Heyen's.

C. F. Locklin is here from Hondo looking after his Uvalde interests.—Uvalde Leader-News.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baldwin and children of Sabinal motored over to visit friends here Sunday.

Miss Helen Enderle of D'Hanis came in Thursday afternoon to take the teachers' examination.

Hondo is still doing its part toward feeding the hungry—three cars of corn was shipped from here this week.

Just arrived a select line of handsome new Hercules buggies. Come in and look them over. Wm. F. Neuman.

A regular session of the county commissioners' court will convene at the court house, Hondo, on Monday, April 12th.

Minke Muennink, who is teaching school in the eastern part of the county, spent Saturday and Sunday with home-folks here.

Look! Look! The Gilson-Bradfield Stock Company is coming back for a two nights engagement at the Hondo Auditorium April 10th and 12th.

Mrs. Henry Meyer, mother of Dr. H. J. Meyer, returned to her home in LaGrange Monday after a few days visit to her son and family here.

Mrs. Theresa Hutzler and granddaughter, Miss Josephine Hutzler, of San Antonio are guests of Mrs. A. J. Hutzler and Mrs. Ed. de Montel.

Don't forget the date of the Grand Ball at Wernette's Opera House, April 5, 1915. Good music, good lights, a smooth floor. Come one, come all.

Mr. Hudson, of the Hondo Auto Sales Co., received a car of Fords this week. Most of them have been sold already and another car will arrive next week.

Wm. Volbrecht, and old time friend of Wm. A. Schmitt, returned to his home in San Antonio Monday after spending Sunday with Mr. Schmitt and family here.

Aug. E. Weyand, who has been employed as a book-keeper in San Antonio for several years, has returned to Hondo and is connected with his brothers in the Citizens Motor Car Co.

Commissioners' court was in session the first of the week. Besides canvassing the vote cast in the special bond election in Precinct No. 2, and approving a few bills nothing of consequence was done.

Misses Winnie and Maude Ferguson of Tarpey went to San Antonio Tuesday. Miss Winnie was married to S. W. Allord of Mason county Wednesday, and Miss Maude returned to Hondo that night.

Judge R. H. Burney, his son, Henry, and a grand-son, were in Hondo Saturday night. They were en route to Uvalde where district court opened Monday morning. The journey was being made by auto.

A charter from the State of Texas was granted this week incorporating the Medina County Abstract Company of Hondo, Texas, with Ed de Montel, D. H. Fly, Aug. Kempf and H. E. Haass, as incorporators.

Wm. Collins returned this week from where he had been on a visit to Mrs. Collins and children. He was detained there longer than he intended staying when he went on account of the indisposition of one of his children.

Get your Presto-lites from the Hondo Garage & Repair Shop—Gaines old Stand—and equip your car with the best. Small size, \$1.50; large size, \$1.75. Quality guaranteed satisfactory. Carter & Haass, Proprietors.

Mr. Cooley, who has been employed at Carle's tailor shop for several months, left Thursday night for Crystal City, where he has purchased a tailor shop. Mr. Cooley made many friends while here who regretted to see him leave.

Don't talk war but talk insurance with Joe Fehn, who can supply you with the best in the market in all kinds of insurance except fire, in one of the oldest and strongest companies in the world—The Aetna Life Insurance Company.

R. C. Watkins, Supt. G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co., F. H. Bednarek, chief dispatcher G. H. & S. A., King Cox, Supt. of P. E. Service, all of San Antonio, Judge Tallichette of Houston, P. Jungman S. P. local agent, and O. H. Miller formed a hunting party that were the guests of Geo. Leinweber Tuesday night. While the weather was somewhat unfavorable the party succeeded in getting several turkeys.

GRAND Dance! AT BIRY

Saturday, April 10

GOOD MUSIC! FINE FLOOR! EVERYBODY INVITED!

Guth Chocolate Easter Eggs, from 10c to \$1.00, at Martin Drug Co.

The ladies of the Methodist church will give a dinner Thursday, April 8th.

Phone 125, the City Tailor Shop, when your clothes need cleaning or pressing.

Bring the Hondo Commission Co. all of your chickens and turkeys for best cash prices.

Four applicants, two from Uvalde County and two from Medina County, are taking teacher's examination at the court house.

Look! Look! The Gilson-Bradfield Stock Company is coming back for a two nights engagement at the Hondo Auditorium April 10th and 12th.

For Sale, White Swan and General Harrison violet plants, 25c per doz. Also Shasta Daisies. Apply at residence of Mrs. H. B. Taylor. 27 tr.

A Grand Ball will be given at Wernette's Opera House, at Castroville, on Easter Monday night, April 5, 1915, to which the public is cordially invited.

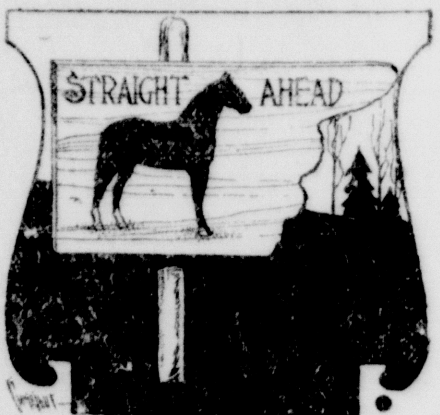
Mr. and Mrs. William Nay returned home to Hondo Wednesday after a week's visit at the Engleman home south of town.—Uvalde Leader-News.

Equip your car with a Morse "Ever-Full Water System." Keeps water from boiling and keeps the radiator FULL ALL THE TIME. Every one guaranteed. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Wanted—Man with good teams to plant 100 acres, one-year-old field, to Sudan grass, I furnish seed, on shares. Good market for hay, nearby cavalry post. Also man or boy to take care of small apiary at once. R. V. Sauer, Brackettville, Kinney Co., Texas.

Frank J. Fritsch and wife of La Grange, were the guests of Mrs. Fritsch's brother, Dr. H. J. Meyer, returning to their home Monday. While here Mr. Fritsch invested in some Medina county realty and we hope before long we will be able to include he and his family among the good citizens of this county.

The Gilson-Bradfield Stock Company, will play a return engagement at the Hondo Auditorium Two nights, April 10 and 12th. "The Woman of Mystery" will be the play Saturday night and "A Bachelor's Honeymoon" will be presented on Monday night. Better secure your seats early as no doubt this excellent company will do capacity business both nights.



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RACES! APRIL 8, 9 and 10 AT RED WING

The first race will be between the Hokitt horse and John Sauter's from Devine for a purse of \$200, and on the 9th the race will be between Nic. Haby's "silver-tail" and George Noonan's "little king" for \$400 purse
Barbecue and Refreshments

We have anticipated your wants in all lines of

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and invite a call from you before making your purchases. Our reputation for Standard Quality at prices that can not be beaten elsewhere is fully sustained in this season's splendid offerings.

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are the needed implements for preparing your land for your 1915 crop. See them when you need a plow.

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PERSONALS

All kinds of fruit in season at F. A. Heyen's.

County court will meet in regular session Monday.

Aluminum ware, you can get it at Holloway Bros.

Geo. Heyen made a business trip to Austin Friday.

One car of hay went to market from Hondo this week.

Mr. Merriweather of Knippa was in Hondo this week.

Mrs. E. W. Martin visited in San Antonio yesterday.

Two cars of lumber were shipped to Hondo this week.

A car of cotton seed meal was unloaded here this week.

A car load of empty kegs were shipped from Hondo this week.

Guth Chocolate Easter Eggs, from 10c to \$1.00, at Martin Drug Co.

Freight shipments from here this week included a car load of bones.

Miss Alva Morris of Sabinal is taking teachers' examination in Hondo.

Come one, come all to the Grand Ball at Wernette's Opera House on the 5th of April 5, 1915. 33-3t

Red Top Cane Seed for Sale—75c. per bushel at barn; 85c. delivered in Hondo.

B. Ward, Phone, line 6, R21. 33-3t

TIRES

At Reduced Prices at C. R. GAINES

Remember the dinner next Thursday at the Ward Building.

A car load of beer was among the shipments into Hondo this week.

Our cooking stoves are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. Holloway Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hall visited relatives in the Knippa section last week end.

A car load of Fords were received by the Hondo Auto Sales Company this week.

Melliff Lippold was here from Hondo Saturday and Sunday to see his sister, Mrs. A. P. Langford, who accompanied him back for a visit with homefolks.—Bandera Enterprise.

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JUDGING AN AUTOMOBILE VALUE

As the automobile industry has progressed, and as some owners have learned the distressing circumstances that usually follow the purchase of an automobile that has no standing from a manufacturing point of view, we sometimes wonder why the average prospective buyer does not give the question of the merit and reputation of an automobile more serious attention before he makes a selection. Ever since the beginning of the automobile business new cars have flashed on the horizon and have very promptly dropped out of sight. The announcements by the manufacturers have always been full of promises and from an advertising point of view many of these cars have made a hit, but they have never accomplished the advertised purposes, and in failing leave the purchaser absolutely helpless when it comes to obtaining repair parts, service, etc.

This should be one of the strongest arguments to your prospects, for, since Buick was put on the market it has naturally grown and profited each year, increasing its production as well as the number of its satisfied owners, and today Buick is recognized as the highest-class motor-car investment you can make.

Below is a list of ninety-seven cars (and there are probably more) that during the last few years were at some time or other very prominently known and widely advertised throughout the country, all of which are, however, at this time "orphans" in the automobile industry, the manufacturers having gone out of business for some of the various reasons given above:

Atlas, Ampex, Anco, American, Acme, Aero, Allen-Kingston, American-Mors, Anchor, Anhut, Brush, Blomstrom, Babcock, Badger, Breeze, Barnes, Benham, Bergdoll, Berkshire, Black Crow, Cutting, Cameron, Columbia, Corbin, Carhartt, Clark-Carter, Cino, Coates-Goshen, Dearborn-Detroit, Demot, Dragon, Detamble, Deluxe, Everett, Elmore, Edwards, Fuller, Fal Car, Firestone-Columbus, Gaeth, Great Western, Great Smith, Holsman, Halladay, Havers, Herreshoff, Henry 40, Johnson, Knox, Lion, Lozier, Michigan, Mason, Midland, Marquette, Matheson, Meteor, Metropoli, Middleby, Northern, Nyberg, Ohio, Only, Orient, Palmer-Singer, Pierce-Racine, Pittsburg-Six, Parry, Pope-Hartford, Pope-Tribune, Pope-Toledo, Pennsylvania, Petrel, Queen, R. C. H., Royal Tourist, Ranier, Reading, Rickette, Rider Lewis, Stevens-Duryea, Stoddard-Dayton, Sampson, Standard, Sterling, Schact, Seiden, Staver, Thomas, Van Dyke, Wayne, Warren, Whiting, Welsh-Marquette, Welch-Detroit.

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Light On The Way.

Love is the light, that sweetens the way.
Softly the harp of its mystery play.
Love is the light, dear, that leads us along
Unto the roses of velvet and song.

Love is the light that is over the fear,
Lifting its shadows with gladness, my dear;
Love is the morning that swings from the night,
Bearing its banners of sweetness and light.

Love on the way, and the feet will not fail;
Love is the star o'er the path and the trail;
Love is the hilltops and love to the lea,
Home to the lovelights and ships come from sea.

Love is the light, heart, that leads to the rest
Of dear dreams of love on the rose of love's breast.
Love to the battle, and back to love's peace
When all the swords slumber and all the guns cease.

Love on the way, dear, and life once again,
Sweet with the dear dream of love among men.
Love is the last hour as sweet as the first,
A bloom and a glory when life bids it burst.

—Baltimore Sun.

Lots of people pray for the poor—and let it go at that.—
West Texas Magazine.

HAND us a dollar and have this paper sent to you for one year. There will be something doing in every issue and each copy will be worth the price of a year's subscription.

THE ONWARD MARCH of Bronchitis,

and deep seated Coughs is arrested by Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

In those scrofulous conditions of the blood which invite Involution; in severe, lingering Coughs, and Weak Lungs, which threaten you with this fatal disease, and when other help has failed—this medicine is a proved remedy.

As a blood-cleanser, strength-restorer, and tonic it is sure to benefit. In all lingering Bronchitis and Throat affections, and in every disease that can be reached through the blood, it never fails to benefit or cure. In tablet or liquid form.

Mrs. J. T. RICHARDS, of No. 614 Watter Street, Waco, Texas, says:

"I took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for a cough that followed measles. This medicine cured me when other remedies had failed. My husband also took the 'Discovery' with good results for throat trouble and catarrh."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take.

minimum.

There are strenuous days, and time is money, and the well written advertisement becomes a thing of great value to the consumer as well as to the seller.

And of late years the consumer has become educated up to the standard of expecting the merchant who wants his trade to talk to him through the medium of his advertisement in the local paper.

And the merchant who talks thusly does the business.

THE disaster to the fruit crop caused by the late freezes is very discouraging to those who have attempted to grow fruit and teaches the lesson that so long as it is attempted to grow the common varieties little hope for success can be entertained. But this should not discourage our horticulturists. With the achievements in other lines of plant development as an example before us, it should not be a hopeless task to develop at least some varieties of late-blooming, hardy qualities that will blossom too late for spring freezes and mature fruit before the mid-heat of summer scorches it. Herein lies an opportunity for a new Luther Burbank to win fame and bless humanity.

"NEVER mind what has been; let go the blunders, the griefs, the things you feel should never have been. Let everything go but the truth that all good is yours, and that the future is bright with the star of hope."

—The Texas Odd Fellow.

Representative of State Agricultural Department Here Yesterday.

Fletcher Davis, owner of the Hondo Anvil Herald, one of the best known newspaper men in south Texas and who is now field representative of the State Department of Agriculture, spent yesterday in Floresville. Mr. Davis came down from Saspamco where he was to have held a meeting Wednesday but was unable to gather a crowd. He met with the same result at Calaveras on the day previous.

Yesterday morning Mr. Davis addressed about 500 school children in the auditorium of the Floresville High School. He was introduced by the editor of the Chronicle-Journal. He was given splendid attention by the student body and his address which touched on various phases of agricultural work, was greatly enjoyed by all. Mr. Davis was highly pleased with the reception accorded him at the school and he was loud in his praise for our school, its enthusiastic student body and commodious buildings.

He was to have addressed the farmers and citizens in general at the court house at 2 o'clock but on account of the meeting not being well advertised, the notices having arrived here too late, he failed to get a crowd. President Grover Reed of the Farmers Union and Secretary White of the organization were here for the meeting and were disappointed over the failure to get him a hearing.

Mr. Davis intends to return to Floresville at a future date and organize a Farmers Institute and we sincerely hope that when he does he will be greeted by a representative delegation. He is a very able man and is an enthusiastic worker in his line.—Floresville Chronicle-Journal.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Mr. Hutchinson of Hondo was in this part today in a demonstration car for the Hudson Car Co. He was accompanied by Will Boyce, Otto Tamper and Rogston Lucky of Utopia.—Vanderpool Cor.

Mrs. F. D. Griffith of San Antonio was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reinhart the first of the week.

Mr. Will Clausewitz made a business trip to Hondo Wednesday night.

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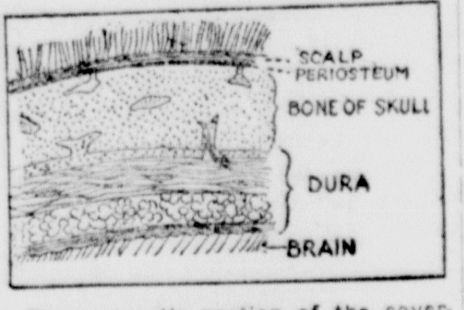
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WORSE THAN DEATH

Epilepsy Follows Certain Injuries to Head.

Blow That Causes Unconsciousness for Long Intervals Practically Defines the Best of Surgical Skill, Says Famous Doctor.

"I have often said that I had rather die than receive a blow sufficiently severe to render me unconscious for a considerable period of time," said Dr. John B. Murphy during an operation on the head of a young man who had been suffering from epileptic fits, which came on three years after he had been struck on the head by a base-



Diagrammatic section of the coverings of the brain to show the dura that is injured by a blow.

ball and knocked unconscious for about half an hour.

"A blow which merely fractures the skull without producing unconsciousness, such as that from a sharp instrument," continued Doctor Murphy, "is not nearly so serious a condition, from the point of view of future possibilities, as that following the blow of a blunt instrument which renders the patient unconscious."

Doctor Murphy went on to cite several cases, one of a man who had been thrown from a sleigh against a telegraph pole and remained unconscious for three weeks. He had no further symptoms for about three years, when he began having convulsions. Another was that of a young man who had fallen from a window to a stone pavement when a baby. His "fit" did not begin until twenty years later, and he had been a precocious boy at school and a successful business man.

Doctor Murphy believes that such blows cause an injury to that coating of the brain which is called the dura. The brain itself is uninjured. Then something arises—worry or extra hard work or something of that sort—which brings on irritation where the dura was injured. The precise cause is uncertain.

Some of these cases can be cured by an operation in which the skull is opened and the dura at the place of injury removed, but only about one case in twenty gets well and stays well. That is why Doctor Murphy would rather be killed outright than suffer such an injury. For the victim is almost certainly destined to become an epileptic.

Plural Titles.

All peers above the rank of baron are pluralists in the matter of titles, but the Duke of Buccleuch, who has just died, was a pluralist even in dukedoms. His forbears married the daughters and sisters of kings, and he himself was a lineal descendant of Charles II, to whom the family owed the highest title. Charles' son, the Duke of Monmouth, married Anne Countess of Buccleuch, and on their wedding day Anne—the duchess in "The Lay of the Last Minstrel"—persuaded Charles to make them Lord and Lady Scott of Whitechester, Earl and Countess of Dalkeith, and Duke and Duchess of Buccleuch. To the third duke came in 1706 another dukedom, that of Queensberry, and the late, the sixth, duke held them both, together with a marquessate, four earldoms, three viscounties and four or five baronies.—London Chronicle.

Wanted Football Results.

The New York Evening Post relates a story told in England of Captain von Muller, late of the Emden. One night while the British cruiser Yarmouth was escorting a merchant ship out of Singapore, the wireless operator received calls from a ship some distance away. He answered them, and to his surprise found that he was in communication with the German cruiser Emden. The transmitted message was as follows: "Captain von Muller and the wardroom mess send their compliments and would be obliged if the Yarmouth would let them have the result of the inter-regimental rugby football match." The result was duly given, together with an intimation that it would not be very long before the captain of the Emden and the wardroom mess would have the opportunity of a personal attendance at all field and track events in England.

Just Getting Wise.

Senator Borah of Idaho recently bought a motor car. Borah had never before undertaken to operate any mechanical device more complicated than a monkey wrench or a wheelbarrow. After he had succeeded in reaching home without getting maimed he took a long breath and remarked solemnly to his wife:

"When I became a United States senator I thought I had taken on grave responsibilities. Why I didn't know what grave responsibilities were!"

Extracting Benzine From Coal.

M. Vidstrand, a Stockholm engineer, has invented a process of extracting benzine from coal by electricity at a much lower cost than that of present methods.

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HONDO, TEXAS

Invite the attention of Home Buyers and Real Estate Investors to the following list of Properties:

- 160-acre farm, two miles north-west of Hondo. Five-room house, barn and outhouses. Black waxy land, 150 acres in cultivation. \$60.00 per acre, half cash and balance on terms to suit purchaser.
- 200-acre farm, eight miles north-west of Hondo. Eighty acres in field, all fenced and tillable. Seven-room house, good well and windmill.
- \$1750 cash takes a four-room house and two lots in the Brown-Woods Addition to Hondo.
- 8 1/2 acres of land, containing two good residences, store and saloon building, big dance hall and other buildings. Also good well and windmill. \$7,000.00, half cash and balance on easy terms.
- 468 acres, live oak sandy land, practically level, all tillable, situated 1 1/2 miles south-west of Devine, good well and windmill.
- Two good tenant houses, 135 acres in cultivation, all hog-proof fenced, enough timber to eventually pay for the land. Easy terms.
- 206 acres, mesquite loam land, situated 5 miles north of Devine, about 40 acres rough land, balance all tillable, adjoining Medina Valley Irrigation Co., all fenced and cross fenced, about 100 acres in cultivation, two tenant houses, good well and windmill. Easy terms.
- 250 acres, two miles north-east of Hondo, 200 acres in cultivation, good six room house, good well, windmill and water-works. A bargain at \$60.00 per acre on easy terms.
- 2 1-2 lots in Brown-Woods Addition to town of Hondo. Adjoining the Church of Christ property. A pretty southeast front. \$500 cash.
- 596 acres about 4 miles west of Yancey on the Frio road, soil black-sandy, all tillable and level, 230 acres in cultivation, 4 small houses, 2 good wells and windmills. \$25.00 per acre—\$3000.00 cash balance to suit purchaser.
- 106 acres, live oak sandy land, all tillable, 2 miles north of Devine, surrounded by the Medina Valley Irrigation Co.'s land, all fenced, 96 acres in cultivation, one tenant house, good well and windmill. Easy terms.
- 426 acres, 10 miles east of Devine, 140 acres in cultivation, all good tillable land, one good tenant house, good well, 400 feet deep, inexhaustible water. Easy terms.
- Lots Nos. 1 and 2, Block 31, Los Angeles Heights, San Antonio.
- Lot No. 8 and west 3/4 of 7, block 57. Fine house and outhouses, Hondo. Old Fetter place.
- Five lots in Hondo, good small house. Old Adolph Haass place.
- 116 acres, 4 miles northeast of Leslie, Searcy Co., Arkansas, for \$300 cash.
- Lot No. 11, Block No. 3, Hot Springs Heights, Sonoma Co., California, for \$35.00 cash.
- A 50x150-ft. lot in Buraside Addition to Hondo, for \$250.
- Lots 11, 12 and 13, block 14, Los Angeles Heights Addition to San Antonio. Price and terms reasonable.
- Lot No. 12, block No. 311, in Jourdanton, Atascosa County, Texas, for \$100 cash or will trade for property of equal value in Hondo or D'Hanis.
- 500 acres, 4 1-2 miles west of Yancey, fenced and watered with water-holes, 43 acres in field, balance in pasture; 400 acres tillable. Price \$10.00 per acre and on easy terms.
- Lots Nos. 4 and 5 out of block No. 4, Brown-Woods Addition to Hondo. A pretty northeast corner near the center of the addition. A bargain at \$500.
- 830 acres black mesquite land, 8 miles south east of Hondo. 700 acres tillable, 300 acres in cultivation, good dwelling house and barns and 3 tenant houses, good well and windmill. This is one of the finest farms in Medina County.

If you don't see what you want here, make your real estate wants known to us, anyway. Perhaps we can find what you want. We handle all kinds of

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Many Real Estate Transfers Filed

O. H. Miller and wife to S. G. Carter, Dec. 10, 1914, deed to lots 1, 2, block 5, C. J. Bless Addition, \$1,750.

Fred J. Reinhardt and wife to Laura Rothe, Nov. 30, 1914, deed to 100 acres out of survey 400, C. C. S. D. & R. Co., N. G. R. R. Co., \$3,000.

John M. Koch and wife to G. and H. Hagestein, Dec. 14, 1914, deed to lots 1 and 6, lying east of block 4, in town of D'Hanis, \$2,558.20.

Leon J. Falcon and wife to D. J. Bertelli, Dec. 10, 1914, deed to lots 11, block 3, Coal Mines Camp, \$100.

Henry Ernst and wife to Frank B. Survik and wife, Jan. 20, 1914, deed to 225 acres out of surveys 854, 853, 861 and 90, in the names of P. Lawson, Robert McCaskey, John Rahm and R. Reily, \$2,000.

E. G. Garwood and wife to P. S. Ward, May 11, 1908, deed to lot 1, block 7, Garwood Addition to Hondo, \$15.

P. S. Ward to I. H. King, Jan. 2, 1915, deed to same property as above described, \$125.

R. Gross to Louis Gross, Jan. 5, 1915, deed to lots 1 and 2, block 26, town of Lacoste, \$200.

Jacob Deckert and wife to Annie Mary Hagelein, Dec. 5, 1914, deed to 2 acres out of survey No. 161, John Ney, near Hondo, \$2,500.

Ernest Meurin and wife to Clemens Eruse, Nov. 18, 1914, deed to 123 1-4 acres survey No. 1268, J. E. Duffield, \$2,750.

Henry McCulloch and wife to Pauline Tondre, Jan. 29, 1915, deed to lot 4, block 6, range 9, Castroville, \$225.

Kennedy Bros. to Nick and Henry Walter, Nov. 14, 1914, deed to 676 9-10 acres out of survey No. 859, H. L. Knab, \$10,827.

L. E. Heath and wife to Tom J. Benzel and wife, Feb. 6, 1915, deed to 211-2 acres survey No. 163, J. Barnhart, all acres out of survey No. 118 1-2, Patrick May; 320 acres survey No. 117, P. Sauer; 28 acres out of survey No. 10, John Fohn, \$14,900.

Adolph Haby et al. to Emil and John Reicherzer, May 5, 1914, deed to 320 acres survey No. 391, August Bonamy; 20 acres survey No. 285, H. Castro; 20 acres out of survey No. 43 1-2, P. Schacht; and 30 acres out of survey No. 295, P. Folk, \$1,000 and other considerations.

Peter Groll et al. to Jacob Groll, Feb. 28, 1914, deed to 20 acres out of 200-acre farm lot No. 41, east bank of Medina river, \$1.00.

P. E. Lindsay and wife to W. T. Rogers, Feb. 8, 1915, deed to 60 acres out of survey No. 28, John Linden, \$1,000.

J. A. Rogers and wife to P. E. Lindsay, Feb. 8, 1915, deed to lots 6 and 7, block 9, Hattox Addition to Devine, \$1,500.

John B. Wernette and Louis and Louis Kieffer, executors of Bl. Kieffer, deceased, to John Libold, Nov. 11, 1914, deed to 3 acres out of survey No. 21, A. L. Kuykendall, \$50.

Henry Mangold and wife to W. H. Benken, Feb. 3, 1915, deed to 50 acres out of survey No. 10, J. H. Isbell, \$1.00 and other valuable considerations.

W. H. Benken and wife to Henry Mangold and wife, Feb. 3, 1915, deed to 200 acres out of survey No. 10, J. H. Isbell, \$1.00 and other valuable considerations.

Thad. V. Gilliam and wife to Henry B. Seathoff et al.; Feb. 15, 1915, deed to 2-4-5 acres, part of lot No. 42, town of Quilb (blacksmith shop), \$1,800.

J. G. Heyen to Jacob Schweers, Feb. 1, 1915, deed to lot 9, block 3, Lawn Addition to Hondo, \$125.

J. G. Heyen to Hondo Lumber Co., Feb. 15, 1915, deed to lots 1 and 2, block 2, Lawn Addition to Hondo, \$125.

Sallie Redus, executrix, to W. C. Rodus, Feb. 12, 1915, deed to 10 acres out of survey No. —, in name of C. C. & J. G. Durst, \$80.

Heirs of Gustave Simon, deceased, to Dom Schott, Jr., Feb. 8, 1915, deed to 70 acres survey No. 70, Gustave Simon, \$2,000.

Roman Hernandez and wife to B. B. Castanon, April 11, 1914, deed to lot 6, block 2, Mexican Addition to Devine, \$50.

Geo. Carle, Jr., to W. H. Smith, Feb. 24, 1915, deed to lot 8 in block 1, C. Fly Addition to Hondo, \$250.

L. E. Bennett to Sallie B. Knowles, Feb. 14, 1914, deed to lots 1 and 2, block 1, Natalia, \$1.00.

Ney & Mangold to Louis Scherrer, Feb. 20, 1915, deed to lots Nos. 3, 4, 5, block 9, range 9; also lots 5, 6, 7 and block 11, range 9, Castroville, \$3,567.

Leo Tschirhart to Aug. L. Tschirhart, Feb. 25, 1915, deed to lots 3, 4, 5, 6, block 8, range 13, Castroville, \$1.00, etc.

Aug. L. Tschirhart to Leo Tschirhart, Feb. 22, 1915, deed to lot 3, block 8, range 8, Castroville, \$1.00, etc.

Leo Tschirhart to Louis Scherrer, Feb. 25, 1915, deed to lots 3 and 4, block 8, range 8, Castroville, \$1.00, etc.

Louis Scherrer to Leo Tschirhart, Feb. 25, 1915, deed to lots Nos. 3, 4, 5, block 9, range 9, Castroville, \$100.

Gottlob Weiblen to Robert Halty and wife, Nov. 9, 1914, deed to 129 acres out of surveys Nos. 42 and 10 and

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42, Jos. Schneider and William Strickler; and surveys Nos. 41 and 41 1-2, A. Schneider, J. E. Calter, John Sharp and J. S. Collard, \$3,800.

C. A. Crouch and wife to Fannie E. Wigginton, Dec. 1, 1914, deed to lots 1 to 12, block 3, Coker Addition to Devine, \$1.00 and other considerations.

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Farmers' Institute Organized.

Karnes City, Texas, March 28.—A Farmers' Institute was organized here by Fletcher Davis, field agent for the State Department of Agriculture, at the county courthouse. About twenty progressive farmers enrolled as members and the following officers were elected: R. S. DeLoach, president; J. D. Person, vice president; William S. Ruckman, secretary, and Roger Smith, entomologist. The farmers present manifested keen interest in the work of the department, especially its co-operative marketing plans.—San Antonio Express.

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Hondo, Texas

LACOSTE DOTS.

Items of Interest Culled from The Herald.

Louis Johnson from Lytle unloaded several cars of cattle here Sunday. They were driven to the pasture, near here, for fattening.

Commissioner H. F. Wurzbach and son and Alfred Mangold were here on business one this week.

Messrs. John Kempf and Ed Mann were seen on our streets one day this week.

Mesdames Theresa Mangold and M. A. Kauffman attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Geo. Haby at Castroville Wednesday.

Tom Tschirhart and R. Zinsmeyer were in town Wednesday and said they had just finished shelling about 1,500 bushels of corn for Adolph and Charles Zinsmeyer.

Miss Hilda Rihn from Spindletop was a visitor to relatives here Monday afternoon.

Mr. Henry Salzmann and family went to San Antonio on business Tuesday.

Mr. Frank Keller and wife, Ida Conrad, Florentina and Eugene Keller autoed to San Antonio Tuesday.

Mrs. Louis Biediger visited Mrs. Otto Bippert at Idelwild Monday.

Mr. Henry Biediger and family were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger and Mr. Emil Mechler autoed to San Antonio on business Tuesday.

Miss Hilda Reicherzer returned to her home Sunday morning after a visit to relatives at Spindletop.

Alfred Mangold came home Tuesday to cast one for Good Roads. He is starting his first vote in the right direction.

Mrs. Wm. Jungman and children and Mrs. Henry Mangold and daughters autoed to Castroville Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Chas. Mueller Jr. made a business trip to San Antonio Saturday.

Mesdames Wm. and Otto Jungman paid a visit to Mrs. Otto Bippert at Idelwild Sunday.

Mr. Joe Droitecourt and wife were Alamo City visitors the latter part of last week.

Miss Kathleen Lynch of Hondo is the guest of Miss Mary Hawkes this week.

Mr. Henry Mangold and wife were the guests of relatives in San Antonio Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Margaret Reymann of Macdonia attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Mat Jungman was a pleasant caller here one day the past week.

Messrs. Joe and John Gross of D'Hanis spent Sunday with homefolks here.

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Don't put off treating your Child's Cough. It not only saps their strength but often leads to more serious ailments. Why risk? You don't have to. Dr. King's New Discovery is just the remedy your Child needs. It is made with soothing, healing and antiseptic balsams. Will quickly check the Cold and soothe your Child's Cough away. No odds how bad the Cough or how long standing, Dr. King's New Discovery will stop it. It's guaranteed. Just get a bottle from your Druggist and try it.

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This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville—

ED. H. HUEHNER, Editor
who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted

Born, during the past week, to Mr. and Mrs. Hy. F. Haegelin, of Riomelina, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zimmermann of Lower Medina, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Emil Groff of this place, a daughter and to Mr. and Mrs. Phil. A. Scherrer of Sauz, a son.

Dr. P. C. Richardson, the San Antonio Dentist, arrived in our midst on professional business Monday.

Gottlob Weiblen had a nice monument placed for his mother, the late Mrs. Katharine Weiblen, Monday, by a Mr. Zirkel of San Antonio.

Frank Jr. and Postmaster Alex E. Tondre left Monday night for El Paso after receiving the sad tidings of the demise of their beloved brother and uncle, Emil Tondre Jr.

We will not worry our kind readers by a detailed report of the result of Tuesday's Bond Election, suffice to say that the Issue carried by a majority of over 6 to 1.

Jos. Biediger Jr., (the Jitney man,) Anton F. (Black) Haller and Jno. W. Hans made a business trip to the Alamo City Thursday.

Dr. J. R. Evans of Devine was a pleasant Castroville visitor Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Koontz and children, E. F. Hillard and George Mangold of Lacoste passed through Friday morning enroute to the Medina Dam.

Justice Court was grinding for a little while Saturday.

Miss Laura Weiss was brought to town this week for medical attention. We learn that she is suffering with appendicitis, but are glad to say is much improved at this writing.

Just as we were about to close our letter, we learn that also the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keller Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Max Bippert both of Sauz were gladened by the arrival of a daughter and son respectively.

Mrs. Ash of Austin is spending several days with Mesdames Joe and William Brieden this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus C. Rothe of Seco visited here several days since.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Liebold of Dunlay and daughters, Mrs. Fred Weiss of Gonzales and Miss Nora Liebold of Dunlay visited here several days ago.

P. C. Jagge and wife visited Hondo Sunday.

Miss Paula Rihn of Biry was the guest of F. Kihorn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart of Noonan visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Emil Tondre Jr. of El Paso is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tondre Jr.

Misses Irma Loessberg and Hilda Reicherzer of Lacoste visited here Saturday.

Mrs. M. Fuos and daughter, Mrs. Lena Hummel, and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wurzbach and children visited San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. Aubrey Bean and baby and Mrs. Ford have returned from a two week's visit to relatives in San Antonio.

Died.

Mrs. Maria Anna Haby (nee Beck), died at her home in the Haby Settlement, at 4:00 a. m. Tuesday, March 23, 1915, after an illness of six weeks' duration, and was laid to rest at St. Louis' Catholic Cemetery on Wednesday morning after Requiem Mass, Rev. Father Heckman performing the last sad rites. Deceased was born at Sennheim, Alsace, Germany, April 23, 1830, consequently was eighty-four years and eleven months of age at the time of her demise. She came to this country in 1850, and was happily married to Capt. George Haby, Sr. (who predeceased her in death thirteen years ago), in 1852. This happy union was blessed with ten children, of which eight, four sons and four daughters, survive. Besides these the deceased leaves twenty-five grand-children, thirteen great-grand-children, three sisters and a very large number of other near and dear relatives to mourn her loss. A large concourse of mourning relatives and friends escorted the remains to its last resting place. The St. Anna Society, of which deceased was a member, attended the funeral in a body. This entire community joins in sympathy with the bereaved ones. R. I. P.

"Emil Tondre, Jr., is dead." These were the sad tidings which were flashed over the wires from El Paso to relatives and friends here. The deceased was born at Castroville March 18, 1869, consequently was just a few days over forty-six years of age at the time of his demise. In August, 1893, he was happily married to Miss Mary A. Hesse of Del Rio. Besides his grief-stricken widow he leaves his aged mother, two brothers, one sister and a large number of other near and dear relatives to mourn his untimely demise. The mortal remains were shipped to his old boyhood home, Castroville, and laid to rest at St. Louis' Catholic Cemetery

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Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful tonight and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous by morning I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick.

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Friday morning, after a Requiem Mass, Rev. Father Heckman again performed the last sad rites. A large concourse of mourning relatives and friends escorted the corps to its last resting place. We join in sympathy with the bereaved and grief-stricken ones. R. I. P.

Castroville, March 29, 1915.

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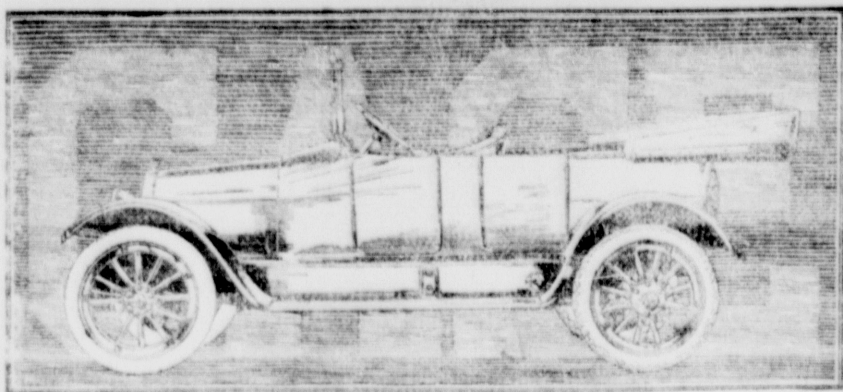
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Noonan Notes.

Mr. Arthur Bippert of Natalia was a Devine visitor Saturday.

Lizzie and Alvina Kempf were Lytle visitors Wednesday.

Charlie Vann of Noonan returned to his home at Haass' Settlement Monday.

Miss Freddie Richardson was the guest of the Misses Walker Sunday.

Harvie Green and Edgar Brown of Biry were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Green and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kempf and son, and Mr. Mack Luckie of San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf and family Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Richardson and Mr. Pierce were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heath Sunday.

Misses Lizzie and Alvina Kempf were the guests of Mrs. Fritz Bippert and folks Sunday.

George Farris was a caller at Noonan Saturday.

Misses Lizzie and Alvina Kempf were Lacoste visitors Tuesday.

A dance was given Friday night to Mr. and Mrs. Rogers. Those present were: Miss Lizzie and Alvina Kempf, Maurien Green, Pearl Fox, Lola Kirby, Barbara Shelton, Freddie Richardson, Lucile Stafford, Miss Adkins and the two Misses Sweanny; Messrs. Woodson and Harvey Green, Charlie Pierce, Aaron and Archie Farris, Jim and Lawrence Shelton, Claud Adkins, George Bridges, Joe Kempf, Austin Richardson, Johnnie Chatman, Jim Peterson, George and Tom Bishop, Will Fox, Frank Adkins, Earl Walker, Earle Cask, Albert Carnes, Fount Heathcock, Arnold and Philip Tschirhart, Dee Adkins, George Blatz, Edgar and Henry Brown. The dance was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers. All present reported a most enjoyable time.

A few people gathered at the Chicon dam Sunday. Hazel Farris, Ella Griffin, Henry Brown and Jess Raley went for a boat ride. While out on the lake the boat capsized throwing the occupants into water twenty feet deep. Otto Roehrer and Johnnie Carnes went to the rescue of the party in another boat and succeeded in bringing all of them safely to land. Their prompt action probably saved some of the party from drowning.

Mrs. Mary Fox and daughter, Pearl, and Mrs. John Spencer, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf and family Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Satzman of Noonan, and Mr. Joe Tschirhart were Lacoste visitors Tuesday.

Louis Johnson gathered up his cattle Tuesday and moved them to Lytle.

March 24, 1915.

Spring Review and Normal Course.

Devine, Texas, April 5th to June 3rd. Prepare for state examinations for teachers' certificates.

Expense for the term—tuition.....\$8.00
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Board, \$16.00 to \$20.00.

Enter at the opening if possible. At close of term examinations will be held for state certificates.

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The celebrated A. D. Mebane Cotton Seed, for the A. D. Mebane Cotton Seed Co., of which the originator of this seed is President. The price is \$1.50 per bushel f.o.b. Lockhart, Texas. Place your orders now with

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Notice to Stockmen.

I have bought the King Jack and will stand him at my place, on the Seco creek, for \$10.00, \$5.00 down and \$5.00 later. Colt assured.

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Notice to Stockmen.

My big brown jack will stand the season at my farm, two miles east of Hondo, for \$5.00 in advance and \$5.00 later. Colt insured.

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The Speaking.

Ex-Senator F. C. Weinert, manager of the State Warehouse Department, Bob Taylor, assistant, and Judge Ed. R. Kone of the State Department of Agriculture, were in Hondo last Saturday and all addressed a fair sized audience at the court house in the afternoon.

Senator Weinert, manager of the State Warehousing System, who was here by special invitation, opened the discussion by an explanation of the warehouse and co-operative marketing law. Mr. Weinert is an earnest, convincing speaker and created a very favorable impression on his hearers.

Bob Taylor devoted the greater part of the time allotted to him to deprecating the custom farmers have of carrying wet cotton to the gins, and advocated the ginners putting a prohibitive price on the ginning of cotton not in proper condition.

Judge Kone, representing the State Department of Agriculture, devoted the major portion of his remarks to a discussion of diversification and better cultural methods, and created quite a favorable impression. It is hoped that the visit of these gentlemen to Hondo, and their timely talks, will result in great practical benefit to all who heard them.

Wait Paint.

There are painters and waiters. Which am I going to do? Paint or wait?

Which is better?

How much am I worth with my property waiting? How much if I paint? Will my house be worth more or less if I paint?

Say it costs \$2 a gallon Devco—I wouldn't paint any other—and \$3 or \$4 more for putting it on. That's \$50 or \$60 a 10-gallon job.

The money is gone. Is it in the house? Is it all in the house?

Suppose I were selling; what should I get for that house fresh-painted and what should I get for it needing-paint?

I wonder why men paint before selling!

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Holloway Bros. sell it.

Local Talent Play.

Mr. Albert Taylor, the talented versatile actor and Miss Maude Hollinsworth, the petite and charming leading lady, will be here next week to organize and direct a show for the Rebekah Lodge, which will hold the boards at the Auditorium in the near future.

Mr. Taylor and Miss Hollingsworth are well and favorably known to the theatre-goers of this section, and the benefit performance will no doubt, be a great success.

Remember the home talent play and wait until that night. The date will be announced later.

Epworth League Program.

Sunday, April 4th.

Leader—Pearl Newton.

Subject, The Resurgence of Life.

Opening Song.

Scripture.

Prayer.

Song.

Talk by Leader.

Instrumental Solo—Lola Buchanan.

Talk, The Ebb of Life—Luther Peterson.

Vocal Solo—Emma Miller.

Talk, The Resurgence of Life—Verna Mae Hudspeth.

Song.

Benediction.

Don't Read This.

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George Schueble was over from Lacoste this week on a visit to homefolks.

For Sale Cheap—A sewing machine. Almost as good as new. Apply at this office.

Misses Willie and Helen Benken, after a visit to relatives and friends in Hondo, returned to their home in Noonan Thursday.

E. W. Lacy, assisted by his immediate family and friends of "Auld Lang Syne," celebrated his 68th birthday last Friday. A royal good time was had by all present.

Miss Ruby Conover came from Del Rio Monday en route to her home in Moore. She was met here by Max Conover and Matt DuBose and the remainder of the trip was made by auto.

FALLS CITY, TEX., March 27.—A farmers' institute was organized here yesterday with twenty members. The following officers were elected: N. N. Butler, president; H. P. Lorenz, secretary; Ferd Bartosh, vice president, and Julian Bielefeld, entomologist.

Fletcher Davis, field agent of the State Department of Agriculture, was present and spoke informally of the benefit of organization and co-operation among farmers. The farmers present were very much interested in the department's co-operative marketing plans and the diversification of crops. —San Antonio Express.

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Junior League Program.

Sunday, April 4th, 3 p. m.

Leader—Emma Short.

Scripture reading, John 20, chapter 1-18.

Song, No. 111.

Prayer.

Responsive reading, No. 357.

Recitation—Howard Short.

Violin Solo—Irene Saathoff.

The First Easter—Elizabeth Py.

Instrumental Solo—Gladys Lucille Newton.

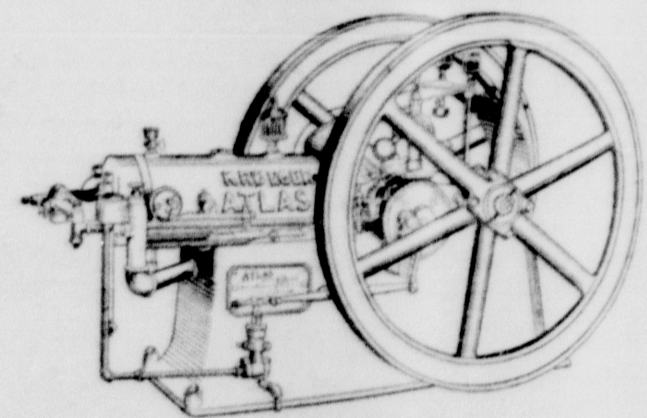
Reading—Earl Lacy.

Bible questions.

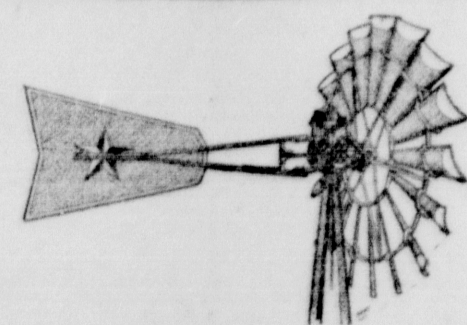
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